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Elect City Officers Mon. May 27th

CHARTER PROPOSAL UP FOR RATIFICATION

The first election for the election of councilmen, a justice of the peace and constable will be held Monday, May 27th. Petitions for nomination must be on file with the village clerk by 12:00 o'clock noon, May 17th.

This election means much to the citizens of Grayling. It means that we are to be governed by an entirely new set-up of government. Grayling will no longer be a part of Grayling township and will emerge from a village to city form of government. This will eliminate a dual administration with their two sets of administrative offices.

In the new government there will be a board of aldermen consisting of five members. This body will elect from its number a mayor who will act as presiding officer, countersign all checks drawn upon the city; sign official instruments and be the official representative of the city during any receptions and public occasions.

The council will provide a budget covering all expenditures the city may be called upon for city purposes; engage the services of a manager to look after all public works and city businesses, holding him in strict account for his actions on behalf of the city. The council must meet at least once each month.

The justice of the peace has the same responsibilities as are usual with township justices. The constable provides means for the serving of processes whenever

there is no county officer available, and such other duties as usually devolves upon constables.

Besides the election of these officers, the voters will be asked to approve or disapprove the charter, or laws that are to govern the city. These are drawn up by a charter commission duly elected by the people, with the assistance of the Municipal League of Ann Arbor who passed upon the legality of the charter provisions. After much discussion and planning the charter was completed as printed in full in the Avalanche last week. After the final paragraph was finished the charter gone over for the 'tenth time' by the charter commission, it was pronounced as good and we doubt if there is a fifth class city in Michigan that can boast of a charter that comes so near to be complete in all its provisions as this one. Each and every member of the charter commission voted in favor of the finished charter. There wasn't a dissenting vote. Following is a list of the members of the charter commission whom are responsible for its provisions: Merle E. Nelson, Emil Giegling, A. L. Roberts, Roy O. Mines, Alfred Hanson, A. J. Joseph, T. P. Peterson, O. P. Schumann and Dr. C. R. Keyport. The original charter has been duly signed by each of these citizens and also by Governor Frank D. Fitzgerald, whose signature gives it the final legal status.

Everyone who does not fully understand the provisions of the charter are urged to attend the mass meeting at the school auditorium Friday night. This is being held for this very purpose so that everyone may be truthfully informed on the question and be able to vote with understanding on election day.

Yards And Public Places Beautified

Grayling people are remarking about the improvements that are under way around the town. Mrs. C. G. Clippert, who is in charge of the beautifying of the school yard, is having trees planted and flower beds made. The high school boys, faculty and school board are cooperating with her. Ernest Borchers is supervising the work and the trees came from William Aubrey, caretaker at the Higgins Lake Forestry.

We'll agree that the school yard never looked more attractive than it does at present.

Other committees are busy with responsibilities of getting other public places made more attractive. The several committees are as follow:

Mrs. Schumann—Town hall and Oddfellows Temple.

Mrs. Welsh—Michelson Memorial church.

Mrs. Schmidt—Danish Hall and Danish church.

Mrs. Barnett—Miscellaneous places about the city.

This splendid work is being sponsored by Grayling's Civic League. Membership in this organization costs but 25c and is deserving of the membership of every adult in the city.

Next Wednesday evening, May 22nd, Prof. O. I. Gregg, extension specialist in Landscape gardening of M. S. C. will lecture on that subject at the school auditorium. This is free to the public and everyone interested in the beautification of their yards and our public places are urged to attend. Admission is free.

Maccabees To Meet In Traverse City

Maccabees of Crawford county and other counties north of the Muskegon-Bay City line will concentrate in Traverse City on Saturday, June 8, for a fraternal rally, the largest scheduled for Northern Michigan this year.

Plans were completed at a meeting held in Traverse City recently over which Mrs. Francis Burns of Detroit presided and attended by Richard Garrity, Mr. and Mrs. George Keating, Mrs. Myrtle Ruthford, all of Detroit, Mrs. Della LaFontsee of Grand Rapids, superintendent of juvenile work, Mrs. Myrtle Feathers of Petoskey and Charles Perry of Cadillac.

The morning of Saturday, June 8, will be devoted to the juvenile program in which 15 drill teams will compete and a class of 150 juniors initiated. In the afternoon the Lady Maccabees will hold their competitive drills and initiatory work and in the evening the sir knights will have the floor. All the adult ceremonies will be conducted by Mrs. Harriette Williamson, Maccabee pageant director of Grand Rapids. The sessions will be held in the high school gymnasium and auditorium.

SERA NOTES

The leisure time program, sponsored under the S. E. R. A., which has been carrying on various activities for the adult group throughout the winter months, will be extended through the summer and will include both adults and school children.

The adult program for the summer will consist chiefly of soft-ball and baseball in Crawford county for men. It is expected within a short while a leader will be selected to handle adult women and girls activities under this program. The boys activities will consist of swimming, soft-ball, tennis, etc.

These summer activities for the younger groups will start the forepart of June. A soft-ball league has already been formed among the adults, consisting of four teams, and possibly two more may be added. The league games open on Thursday night at 8:30 with the Chiefs playing the Lake team at the Flooring mill, while the Businessmen play Beaver Creek at the Tourist Camp.

Anyone interested in summer activities or information in this activity, kindly get in touch with E. Fenton or R. Robertson.

NOTICE

The last date for paying dog licenses without penalty is May 31, 1935.

William Ferguson, County Treas.

Correction to Notice of May 2 Nominations for City Offices Close Fri. May 17, 5 p. m.

Under provisions of the proposed new city charter, nominations for city offices must be filed not later than Friday, May 17, 5 P. M. The following officers will be elected: Five councilmen, one justice of the peace, and one constable.

Blank petitions are available at the office of the Village Clerk, E. L. Sparkes, and must be filed in his office not later than Friday, May 17, 1935.

Charter Commission

Emil Giegling, Secretary.

Gaylord Kiwanians Give Grayling Program

The Kiwanians of Grayling enjoyed an inter-club meeting Wednesday when members of Gaylord club presented the program. Ten members of our neighboring club were in attendance, together with their Kiwanian club orchestra.

President Frank Shipp of the Gaylord club presided and a number of musical numbers were presented. A. J. McDougall responded with address on the subject of "observations."

The Gaylord orchestra offered a number of cheering orchestral numbers and accompanied in the singing by the groups. A medley of song numbers brot out a number of popular songs among which were some that were just about forgotten by the older members and new to the younger men. Walter Noa, director of the orchestra rendered a couple of delightful violin solos. He was accompanied at the piano by Miss Helen Choate.

President Clippert of Grayling club opened the meeting and welcomed the visitors and remarked on the value of such meeting and the growth of still stronger bonds of fellowship that come from them. President Shipp expressed the appreciation of the Gaylord members in being privileged to take this part in our meeting. Assurances of more such meetings were made.

Mr. McDougall's remarks on "observations" were clever in wit and humor. He also reminded his audience of their responsibilities as loyal Kiwanians.

Following are the members of Gaylord club in attendance: President Frank Shipp, H. A. Hutchins, Walter Noa, Ray McKinley, John Makel, Howard Walker, Norman Glasser, Wilton Simmons, Harold Kalkins, A. J. McDougall, and John Guggisberg.

Past District Governor L. C. Reinert, of Ann Arbor, who has a summer home at Charlevoix, was a guest and made a few remarks and complimented the two clubs for the splendid work they are doing.

Next Wednesday noon Mr. Clarence Duesenbury of Pontiac will be the guest speaker. He will present a motion picture showing the workings of a modern automobile plant. The meeting will be at noon at Shoppenagons Inn as usual.

Grangers take notice, white elephant sale. Each member bring a package not exceeding five cents, for the good of the Order, May 18th.

BELMORE FUNERAL HELD HERE SATURDAY

The many friends of Miss Olive Belmore were shocked to learn of her passing at St. Joseph Hospital, Mt. Clemens, Olive, the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Belmore, former residents of Crawford county, was born in Gibbstown, N. J., November 1, 1919. At the age of 4 years the family returned to Grayling where Olive attended school. When she was 8 years old the family moved to St. Clair Shores, where they have since resided. At the time of her death she was a member of the class of 1935 of Lake Shore high school.

Services were held at the family home at St. Clair Shores, Friday. The remains were then brought to Grayling and services held at the Michelson Memorial church with burial in the Elmwood cemetery.

Those who attended the funeral besides the immediate family from out of town were Mrs. Henrietta Love, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schrieber, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Visnaw and daughter Edith and son David, Mrs. Clarence Frink, Miss Virginia Reynolds, Mr. Harold Hershaw and John Kioluk, all of Detroit; Mrs. Maude Thurber and Mrs. Lila Mears of West Branch; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lecureaux of Owosso; Mrs. Laura Wallace and son Clifford, and Emil Golinick and daughter Edith of Roscommon.

Those surviving are the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Belmore, and two brothers, Emerson and Melton, and one sister, Verna.

"CANOE TRAILS" APPEARS IN OUTDOORS

All of Grayling should be particularly interested in the June issue of "Outdoors."

The Tourist Association carries the inside front cover in 4 colors. It is a full page ad, made up of the pictures and texts. Two of the pictures were taken right there on the AuSable river. In addition, the magazine gives you truly an article entitled "Enchanted Canoe Trails." The article was written on occasion of a trip down the AuSable last summer.

I can't tell you exactly how much that article would have cost in paid advertising space, but it is somewhere in the neighborhood of five to six hundred dollars.

I believe this information is of interest to you, and other Grayling enthusiasts.

Very truly yours,
Ben G. Wright.

Read your home paper.
Subscribe for the Avalanche

Standard Oil Co. Dealers Meeting

Some forty-eight agents and dealers of the Standard Oil Company met in Grayling Tuesday for one of their regular division meetings. This is known as the Saginaw division and takes in dealers from Saginaw to Cheboygan, and these places together with the counties of Otsego, Montmorency, Presque Isle, Roscommon and Crawford were represented.

The meeting opened with a banquet at the Legion hall served by the Auxiliary ladies, and the latter were the recipients of many fine compliments on the excellency of the meal. A four-piece orchestra from Mt. Pleasant played during the banquet, and group singing was indulged in. Following the banquet the gentlemen met in the club rooms.

W. J. Riepe, assistant manager of the Saginaw district was chairman of the meeting and introduced Mr. B. F. Tromble, special salesman, who gave an interesting sales talk. H. E. Anker, advertising manager of the division talked on the 1935 set-up for advertising.

A lot of valuable information is gained by these division meetings and brings together a fine group of men where friendships are made that are never broken. Each dealer or agent looks forward to these fine get-togethers.

John J. Higgins of Frederic, who has passed his 90th milestone, was the oldest dealer present.

Legion Jottings

The Drum & Bugle Corps marched to the Tourist Park last Thursday evening and drilled there. Nearly all were out. The Corps is polishing up for Decoration Day.

Any ex-service men who care to, are invited to come out Friday evening and help clean up the hall.

Through the courtesy of Frank Johnson of the Rustic Dance Palace, the Corps will be able to have another party at that place in June, so watch for further announcement. Those who attended the last party we are most sure will be there this time and bring others with them. We hope the weather by that time will be warmer than it was the last time.

Comrades Alfred Hanson, Clarence Johnson sent as delegates, went to Blanchard Monday to attend the 10th District Convention of the American Legion.

Those who want Poppies for Memorial Day can procure them from the Ladies Auxiliary, so just ask any of them and wear one for that date.

All ex-service men, musical organizations, school children, teachers, W. R. C., are cordially invited to join in parade Memorial Day, May 30th. Meet at Legion Hall at 9:30, parade to leave promptly at 10 a. m. The march will be from Legion Hall to river, thence to Elmwood cemetery and return. If there are any Spanish War veterans we want them to be sure to be out that morning too.

The Homecoming program is being made up as fast as possible. There will be one of the largest carnivals in the country and on the last night of the Homecoming the Legion will give a dance and show at Horse-shoe Lake Pavilion on US-27. The famous Tim Doolittle and his Pine Center Gang, WJR radio stars, will be the main feature of the show and dance program. Our Homecoming program in full will soon be announced.

Well, we hope the Honorable President Mr. Roosevelt will put his mark on the Soldiers' Bonus soon.

Don't forget Buddy, it is your duty, whether you belong to the Legion or not, to turn our Thursday, May 30 for our memorial services so put aside that day in honor of our departed comrades. What say?

MUNITION RING EXPOSED

A picture page every day! Starts Sunday in The Detroit News.

'35 Tourist Guide Is Off The Press

THE BLUE BOOK IS OUT!

After months selecting suitable photographs, preparing copy and otherwise caring for the editing, the 1935 East Michigan Blue Book is off the press and already thousands of copies are on the way to prospective vacationists.

The Blue Book is one of the finest pieces of literature ever published by the Log Office.

Seven pages are given over to color work. Eight of the Michigan Game and Pan Fish are represented in four color process as the center spread to the Book. Other color pages include Lure Maps of Huron, and Otsego counties and Presque Isle Township. The Jackson-Sparks Cascades and the Midland County Courthouse are also portrayed in color.

The book is divided into county sections, each area being given, to a certain degree, the amount of space it warrants in proportion to the manner in which it aids the association in matching the state appropriation.

The Book involves sixty pages, all in at least two color, black and blue dominating the bulk of the publication.

Thousands of books left the Log Office the day they were received from the printer, there being a great bulk of inquiries awaiting the release.

East Michigan residents desiring a copy of the book may secure the same by writing the Log Office, Bay City.

MR. AND MRS. GEORGE SORENSON CELEBRATE SILVER ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. George Sorenson were honored on their 25th anniversary yesterday, when their children arranged a celebration on the occasion. The guests included members of the family and friends who were invited to the Sorenson home. Cards were played and everyone enjoyed themselves very much.

The couple were married in Grayling 25 years ago at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Johnson, by Rev. James Ivey, and Mrs. Sorenson was Anine Johnson. Their four children all reside in Grayling.

The Avalanche joins with the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Sorenson in extending greetings and congratulations on their silver anniversary.

Rialto Theatre

PROGRAM

NOW OPEN ALL WEEK

Saturday, May 18th (only)

DOUBLE FEATURE

PROGRAM

No. 1—

Lew Ayers and "Pat" Paterson

In

"LOTTERY LOVER"

No. 2—

Charles Bickford and Helen Vinson

In

"NOTORIOUS GENTLEMEN"

Sunday and Monday, May 19-20

Sunday Show Continuous

from 3:00 p. m. to Closing.

George Arliss

"CARDINAL RICHELIEU"

Silly Symphony—

"Robber Kitten" News

Tuesday and Wednesday,

May 21-22

Ginger Rogers and Francis Lederer

In

"ROMANCE IN MANHATTAN"

Comedy News

Thursday and Friday, May 23-24

They're coming back in

person with complete New Stage Show—

Jack West and his Circle

Star Cowboys (with Ann Darling)

ON THE SCREEN

Cary Grant and Myrna Loy

In

"WINGS IN THE DARK"

More Active Workers Are Needed

Not As Many Active Campaigners As There Are Prizes in the Avalanche's Big Subscription Drive—Anyone Can Enter Now And Be in the Lead Within a Single Week

With nine workers signed up in the Crawford Avalanche's big subscription drive, but with only a few of these nine actively started selling subscriptions, there is a fine chance for a few more people here and throughout the county to get into the campaign and to be up with the leaders when the first relative standings of participants is published next week.

At the present time there actually are not as many active workers as there are prizes, so the opportunity speaks for itself. If you have been hesitating, get in now and be one of the big winners at the end!

Following is the list of those entered in the campaign. The names are in alphabetical order, with only entry credits being shown this week:

Archie For, Grayling	5,000
Junior Nelson, Grayling	5,000
Mrs. Etta F. Nowlin, Rt. 2, Roscommon	5,000
Mrs. Laura Parker, Grayling	5,000
Mrs. Sam Basmussen, Grayling	5,000
Miss Jennie Lee Raymond, Frederic	5,000
DeVere Schmidt, Grayling	5,000
Reginald Sheehy, Grayling	5,000

Shoppenagons Cocktail Room



They're Not The Same

That's what they say about our mixed drinks. People who come to Shoppenagons Grill say that our drinks are so much better than those they get at other places. That's because we use the finest quality of liquors and also because we MAKE 'EM BETTER.

You and your friends will say so too if you patronize our Grill.

Choice Liquors, Wines, and Beers

Specially Designated Distributors

7:00 to 9:00 a. m.

6:00 p. m. to 2:00 a. m.

Shoppenagons Inn
Grayling Michigan

PADDY'S BARBER SHOP

Now Open

Soliciting the patronage of old friends and welcoming new patrons.

Located in Old Turner home on Maple street—
one block south of Michigan.

Paddy Cowell, propr.

Watch for the Barber sign

CRAWFORD AVALANCHE
O. P. Schumann, Owner and PublisherEntered as Second Class Matter
at the Postoffice, Grayling, Mich.,
under the Act of Congress of
March 3, 1919.**SUBSCRIPTION RATES**One Year \$1.75
Six Months .90
Three Months .45
Outside of Crawford County
and Roscommon per year, \$2.00
(For strictly Paid-in-Advance
Subscriptions).

THURSDAY, MAY 16, 1935

**This Is Entry Week
In Prize Campaign**

This is "Entry Week" in the Crawford Avalanche's big Weekly Payroll subscription campaign, and those contemplating taking part in this interesting and profitable competition should send or bring their entry blanks to this office at once.

The plan of the campaign is unusual, but the details are simple, and every participant is guaranteed a fair and square deal, with liberal pay for time and effort expended in securing new and renewal subscriptions for the Avalanche.

The sole purpose of this campaign is to make the Crawford Avalanche a bigger and better newspaper, to enlarge its sphere of usefulness and to furnish to its advertisers a wider range of the homes in this trade territory. At the same time, it offers residents of this and surrounding communities a wonderful opportunity to utilize their spare time in an exceptionally profitable way.

"Pay Day" Each Saturday

The offer of a brand new Chevrolet coach worth \$582, with the option of a long tropical cruise or the cash value of the tour, is the big feature of the campaign, but the fact that pay checks are offered each week in connection with this big prize-giving event is no lesser feature, and one seldom offered in drives of this nature.

This pay check feature means that one dollar out of every five collected by participants will be returned to them each Saturday night of the six and a half weeks they are competing for the bigger awards.

Think of being able to secure, in six weeks time, prizes that would ordinarily require months—yes, even years—of saving and self-denial to acquire! Yet here they are offered to you for spare time effort.

Sign Up Today!

All it takes to win is a little well-directed energy. The campaign is meeting with a hearty response, but there is plenty of room for more live-wire participants. In fact, not more than half of the expected number are as yet entered. The opportunity for more workers to get in the race and make themselves important factors is actually calling aloud.

Time is passing rapidly, and the advantages of getting an early start cannot be impressed too forcibly upon prospective participants. The opportunities are exceptionally good right

**SILVER ANNIVERSARY FOR
MERCY HOSPITAL**

May 10, 1910, Mercy Hospital was first opened to the public of Grayling, and from that day to the present time this institution has been able to provide as hospitalization as can be found anywhere in northern Michigan.

Through the efforts of Mr. Rasmus Hanson, Dr. S. N. Inaley and several public spirited citizens the hospital became a reality. And since that time the generosity of friends outside, as well as in Grayling, has made possible a growth and maintenance that has culminated in the enviable position of being the only hospital from Bay City to Duluth to be placed on the approved list of the American College of Surgeons. This of course is due a great deal to our excellent doctors, Dr. C. R. Keyport and Dr. C. G. Clippert, as well as to the management under the supervision of the Sisters of Mercy.

The grounds surrounding the hospital have been made so beautiful with shrubs, vines, rock gardens and flower beds that it is one of the show places of our city, while within the hospital is very attractive, with its splendid up to date equipment.

One of the urgent needs of the hospital is an obstetrics unit with nursery and Sister Mary Monica is hoping that during the anniversary year funds may be raised, through different benefits and entertainments that will provide for this much needed addition.

Several visited the hospital on Sunday, National Hospital Day, and were shown the rooms and equipment, which is the result of twenty-five years of scientific study and effort. We of Grayling are proud of Mercy Hospital and hope it may enjoy many more years growth.

now, and those who are entering—as well as those who are already engaged taking subscriptions for the Avalanche—will receive big rewards for their efforts.

Confidence is an Asset.

Success in any undertaking is not as you find it, but as you make it. Confidence in yourself, backed by enthusiastic efforts and an optimistic outlook, are the big assets in your possibilities of success. You are just as capable of going out and winning that Chevrolet automobile as anyone else. And here the chance is offered to you in a few weeks of spare time effort.

He who thinks he can succeed, will; but he who feels he can't will never get above the mediocre stations of life. You may succeed when others do not believe in you, but never when you do not believe in yourself.

Make up your mind right now that you are going to be one of the big winners in this campaign, and set action to your determination by starting right now. Someone from somewhere in this trade territory is going to win that Chevrolet, and that "someone" might as well be you.

Enter today—without delay!

Ownership of Mississippi

The Mississippi river is under the jurisdiction of the states which border it, the boundary line being the middle of the river. For purposes of interstate commerce and navigation the federal navigation laws apply since this is a navigable stream. The United States, however, does not own either bank.

Old Homes

Like OLD SHOES are often the most comfortable. Sometimes we forget they don't look as good as they feel.

Check Up

ROOF—Repairing it or re-roofing now will save costly plaster and papering jobs later on.

PORCH—How about a nice sun porch or a cool screened-in porch?

ATTIC—Fix up a playroom for the kiddies, or a spare room for your guests.

BACK YARD—Nothing spoils it more than shabby-looking clothes posts, or an old rickety fence.

Grayling Box Company

Phone 62

Everything In Building Material

ELMIRA ENTERTAINS 4-H CLUBS

Elmira was the host Wednesday, May 8, to over 100 4-H Club members, together with 50 leaders and friends from Otsego, Montmorency and Crawford counties, who gathered in the town hall for the Annual Spring 4-H Club Achievement Day.

Moving pictures, shown by the Department of Conservation, and the play given by the Hayes Township 4-H Club of Otsego county, offered entertainment during the forenoon.

In the afternoon a style revue in which 60 4-H Clothing Club members from Otsego, Montmorency and Crawford counties displayed the dresses which they had made as part of the 4-H Club activities.

Virginia Skingley and Zina Stephan of Crawford county were selected to represent the County Clothing members at the style revue which will be held at Camp Gay-Gug-Lun during the summer.

The following 4-H Club members were selected as honor members: Leader—Mary Wakeley; Virginia Skingley, Evelyn Skingley, and Yvonne Stephan.

Leader: Edith R. Huber—Jean Owen.

Ruth Feldhauser and Beatrice Hoag, members of Mrs. Wakeley's Club, should be mentioned as the members that made the most profit per dollar expended for material.

In the Handicraft Clubs ten members of Theodore Stephan's and Edith Huber's club made 52 articles with a total value of \$28.40.

The following members were selected for the honor roll: Leader: Theodore Stephan; Norman Stephan, Francis Wakeley, Ray Stephan, Robert Skingley, Theo. Stephan, Jack Redhead, and Walter Skingley.

Francis Wakeley, member of Mr. Stephan's club, and Charles Owen, member of Miss Huber's club, won the distinction of being the most efficient workmen, as each dollar which they spent for material resulted in the greatest amount of profit.

MODERN HOUSE for sale—P.O. Box 404, Grayling, Mich.

WANTED—Six bolt cutters. Mrs. Henry Stephan, phone 97-F4, Grayling.

*They're Always
Fresh*

Meats

The tastiest we can get
for you—full flavored, tender, and fresh.

Ice Cold Beer to take out.

Burrows Market

Phone 2

Mr. and Mrs. Emery Cripps of Detroit are spending several days visiting at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Clise and other relatives.

At the council meeting May 6th the village tax rate of \$17.50 per \$1,000 valuation was established by resolution. This is a reduction of \$1.00 per thousand.

Dr. C. R. Keyport is still having birthdays and on Tuesday a number of his friends gathered at the Keyport home in honor of another milestone in his life. A dinner party at Shoppenagons Inn was followed by a pleasant evening at the home. Of course the Doctor received the felicitations of his guests and others who knew of the happy occasion.

Last Saturday afternoon little Maxine Clise celebrated her fifth birthday by inviting some of her little friends in for the afternoon. The time was spent playing games, then last but not least refreshments were served by Mrs. Clise. A lovely birthday cake with five candles was the center of attraction. Maxine received many lovely gifts. Those attending the party were Joyce Heath, Margaret and Jimmy Budd, Marjorie, Bobbie and Betty Lou Wakeley, Emily Giegling, Lucille Wakeley, Beth Lark and Raymond Cripps.

The judges, who have been chosen to give out the prizes for the yards making the greatest improvement this summer, are already making observations and watching the improvements that are taking place with an idea of future decisions. So let's all keep the good work up. Through the State Central Normal, the Civic Improvement League has procured some very attractive shrubs that may be sold to property holders on U.S.-27 for \$6 a shrub. These may be purchased at the Grayling Hdw. store, Mrs. Daisy Barnett having supervision of them.

The Stockholders' Auditing committee of the Grayling State Savings Bank, composed of Messrs. T. P. Peterson, Alfred Hanson and Geo. N. Olson, made the semi-annual audit of the affairs of the bank yesterday. The committee closed its report to the State Banking Department with the following remarks: "The Auditing Committee has carefully checked all items in the bank and find conditions very satisfactory and wish to compliment the officials for the efficient manner in which the bank has been handled since last audit."

A group headed by Mayor C. G. Clippert called on State Highway Commissioner VanWagoner entering a request for a 40 foot pavement beginning at the railroad and running north to Mercy hospital. At the present time the pavement is only 20 feet in width. A special request was made for widening the pavement between the bridge and Michigan avenue to be done while the new bridge approaches are being built. Others in the party were Postmaster Jas. McDonnell, Alfred Hanson, C. A. Miller, C. W. Olsen, and O. P. Schumann.

**GOLF NEWS**

The ladies of the auxiliary of Grayling Golf club held their regular Wednesday noon luncheon at the club house Wednesday. The golfers enjoyed an afternoon with gangstomes. The following groups played:

Group 1—Mrs. Keyport, Mrs. Milnes and Mrs. George Olson.
Group 2—Mrs. Connine, Mrs. Trudgen, Mrs. Joseph and Mrs. Clippert.

Group 1 were victors, winning by one stroke and one hole. In gangstomes one ball is used by each group, the players taking turns in shooting.

Members of the Auxiliary who fail to notify the games chairman when they are unable to be present at the regular Wednesday meeting will be penalized by having to pay a fine.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Those who have entered the hospital this last week are Mrs. Louise Darroch, Grayling; Mrs. Florence Jenkins, Mike Nowak, Gaylord.

Those who have been dismissed are: Madeline Henderson, Roscommon; Mrs. Edward Gierke, Grayling.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of thanking the many friends for kindness shown us in our recent bereavement. Especially the ladies of the Choir and Rev. Shupp for his kindly chosen words.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Belmore, Emerson, Melton and Verna Belmore, Mrs. Henrietta Love, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schrieber, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Vismaw, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Love, Mrs. Minnie Hartley.

**HUDSON SMASHES
36 MORE OFFICIAL RECORDS**

in one of the most gruelling tests ever given
an automobile . . . makes clean sweep
up to and beyond 1000 miles



**1000-mile record
beats best mark ever set by any closed car**

NEWS FLASH—Muroc Lake, Cal., April 13—36 official A.A.A. records broken by a stock Hudson Eight. Top speed—over 93 miles an hour for five miles. Average speed—over 85 miles an hour for 1000 miles and beyond. A clean sweep of every record in its class up to and including 1000 miles and 3000 kilometers, and four unlimited class closed car records. Electrical timing correct to a millionth part of a second and every record certified by American Automobile Association.

Here's what it means to you. Probably you'll never care to drive a car five miles at 93 miles an hour. Yet, it means a lot to you to have a car that can go that fast—to shoot out of traffic tangles or flash you out ahead on the highway.

It isn't likely you'll want to drive a thousand-mile stretch at 85 miles an hour, but you do want a car with the fine engineering, power and ruggedness it takes to do this. Ordinary driving is no work at all for a car like this.

That's what it means to own a Hudson—smoother miles, more enjoyable miles—plus ruggedness and gasoline economy that make those miles cost less. You can see and drive an exact duplicate of this record-breaking Hudson Eight at any Hudson showroom. You can also see the complete list of these 36 new records, and scores of others held by Hudson-built cars. Take the wheel today and discover what this record-breaking performance means to you.

**HUDSON
Sixes and Eights**

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\$695and up for Hudson Six . . .
Hudson Eight \$760 and up
... Terraplane \$585 and up.
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Grayling, Mich.

TUNE IN ON HUDSON AND TERRAPLANE REVUE featuring Kate Smith—Monday evenings at 8:30
E.D.S.T., 7:30 E.S.T., 7:30 C.D.S.T., 6:30 C.S.T., 8:30 M.S.T., 7:30 P.S.T.—Columbia Network

South Side Locals

Lela Gierke is ill and has been confined to her bed for the past week.

Enos Jennings and Henry Beckman of Detroit visited relatives here over the week end.

Mrs. Emery Craft, who has been quite ill at her home, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Russel Beck and Mervel Beck spent Sunday at Mio.

Mrs. Louise Darroch entered Mercy Hospital Friday for an appendix operation.

Harold Buck of Higgins Lake spent Sunday visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Sarah Buck.

Mrs. James Sherman was called to Flint last week, because of the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Carol Vincent.

The Randolph Lunch room at Lake Margrethe is now open for business, having been redecorated in black and bright red.

Mrs. Roy Johnston and Mrs. Morehouse of Houghton Heights spent Friday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Byron Randolph.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sawyer of Mio spent Saturday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Emery Craft and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam LaBean entertained for several days of last week John Billings of Roscommon.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Feldhauser, Mrs. Paul Feldhauser and Mrs. Ben Pankow were Gaylord visitors Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Sarah Miller returned Monday to Saginaw after having visited for several days with her sister, Mrs. Roy Wolcott and family.

Mrs. Alice Worden is returning to Detroit this week end after having been a guest for the past two weeks of her son, Arthur Worden and family.

Mr. and Mrs. William Golinick had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Charles Golinick of Roscommon and Mr. and Mrs. William Ost of Flint.

Mrs. Carl Larsen entertained Sunday, her daughter, Mrs. Herbert Stephan and family of down river and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Larsen.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Worden entertained over the week end Mr. and Mrs. Claire Millikin and Mr. and Mrs. Frank VanSickle and daughter Beulah, of Fife Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Fitzpatrick and family of Roscommon visited for several days prior to their trip to Alaska, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gannon and family.

Mr. and Mrs. William Randolph and son Byron, and family spent Sunday at Vanderbilt where they were guests of Mrs. Byron Randolph's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Leadbeater.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Moore accompanied Peggy Ehrsam, who has been visiting them for some time, to Toledo, Ohio last week end. On their return they were joined by Yvonne SanCartier, who had been visiting in Detroit.

Mrs. Albert Roberts left Sunday for Lansing, having received word that her sister, Mrs. William Hoffman, is ill in the hospital. She was accompanied by Billy McLeod, who visited relatives and friends there.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Broadbent entertained Sunday, the latter's daughter, Mrs. Noble Carpenter and family of Flint, daughter, Mrs. Leon Huey and family and Mr. and Mrs. Hemstreet and daughter of Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Gierke entertained over Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Einer Rasmussen and daughter Shirley Ann, of Marquette; Mr. and Mrs. Leo Jeambert and daughter Joyce, of Detroit; and Frank Gierke and son Robert of Manistique.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Richardson (Mabel Pankow) left Saturday for the West Coast where they will make their home in California. The trip will be extended over two weeks and will be a very nice honeymoon, since they plan to visit relatives at Chicago and Joliet, Illinois and will spend a week sightseeing at Yellowstone National Park. A letter received recently from Illinois, states that they are having a very nice trip, having reached Holland, Michigan, just in time to be a part of the annual Tulip festival parade and also witnessed the Apple Blossom celebration at Benton Harbor.

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FOR SALE—3-year old Jersey cow, fresh in March. Inquire at Avalanche office.

FOR SALE—Kitchen cabinet. Inquire of Mrs. Celia Granger.

WANTED TO BUY—Old fashioned melodian. Must be reasonable. State price. Mrs. Otto Bosse, Fife Lake, Mich. 5-16-2

FOR SALE—Six room house and garage in good location. Near downtown. Inquire of Albert Knibbs. Phone 52-W.

WASHINGS WANTED—Family or piece. Good service. Inquire at Avalanche office.

STRAYED—To my farm, the Hugo Schreiber Jr. farm in South Branch township, western horse, weight about 900 pounds, April 26. Owner may have same by proving property and paying costs of maintenance and advertising. Washington Hart, P. O. address Roscommon, Mich. 5-2-3

MAN WANTED—Mr. Rawleigh Route of 800 families. Good profits for hustler. We train and help you. Write today. Rawleigh Co., Dept. MCE-174-SA2, Freeport, Ill.

FOR SALE—Master Buick car. Inquire of Louis Harbison. Phone 621. Grayling.

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In Memoriam

In loving memory of Martha R. Halberg, who departed this life on Mother's Day morning, May 13, 1934.

"SHE IS JUST AWAY"

I cannot say and I will not say

That she is dead. She is just away.

With a cheery smile, and a wave of the hand,
She has wandered into an unknown land
And left us dreaming how very fair

It must be, since she lingers there.

And you—O' you, who the wildest yearn

For the old-time step and the glad return.

Think of her faring on, as dear

In the love of There, as the love of Here;

Think of her still as the same I say;

She is not dead—She is just away.

(Signed) LOVED ONES.

Road Comm. Takes Over Twp. Roads

Resolved that the following described sections of road in the several Townships of Crawford County, be and the same are hereby determined to be County Roads subject to the jurisdiction of the County Road Commission in accordance with Act 130 of the Public Acts of 1931, effective April 1st, 1935. And that the several roads shall be a part of the County Road system.

Roads Taken Over As Of April 1, 1935.

Beaver Creek

Commencing at the southeast corner of section 1, Town 25 N. R. 3 W., and running west on section line a distance of 3 miles thence south on section line 1/4 mile. Thence east on the east and west quarter line of sections 10 and 11, T. 25 N. R. 3 W. a distance of 2 miles, to be known as BC2-D1.

Commencing at the southeast corner of section 3, T. 25 N. R. 3 W., and running south on the section line a distance of 1/4 mile to be known as BC2-D2.

Commencing at the southeast corner of section 17, T. 25 N. R. 3 W., and running north on the section line a distance of approximately 9-10 of a mile to be known as BC2-D3.

Commencing at the southeast corner of section 35, T. 25 N. R. 3 W., and running north on the section line a distance of 1/4 mile to be known as BC2-D4.

Commencing at the southeast corner of section 28, T. 25 N. R. 3 W., and running east on the section line a distance of 1/4 mile to be known as BC2-D5.

Commencing at the southeast corner of section 19, T. 25 N. R. 3 W., and running south on the section line a distance of 1/4 mile to be known as BC2-D6.

Commencing at the east quarter post of section 1, T. 25 N. R. 4 W., on the town line, and running west on the quarter line a distance of 1 mile, to be known as BC2-D7.

Commencing at the southeast corner of section 15, T. 25 N. R. 4 W., and running west on the section line a distance of 4 miles, to be known as BC2-D8.

Commencing at the south 1/4 post on the section line between sections 34 and 35, T. 25 N. R. 4 W., and running east on the south 1/4 line of said section 35 to the intersection of the county road around the north side of Higgins Lake, a distance of approximately 8-10 of a mile, to be known as BC2-D9.

Frederic

Commencing at a point approximately at intersection of the west county line of Crawford County and the south town line of Frederic township and running northeasterly through section 31, through the northwest corner of section 32, and to a point approximately 10 rods south and 10 rods east of the center of section 29. Thence north through sections 29, 20 and to a point in section 17, approximately 10 rods east of the center of said section. Thence northeasterly to the north section line of said section 17 at a point just west of the north 1/4 post of said section, all in town 27 N. R. 4 W., and running approximately 4-6-10 miles, to be known as FI-D1.

Commencing at a point approximately 10 rods south and 10 rods east of the center of section 29, T. 27 N. R. 4 W., and running easterly and bearing south to a point approximately 10 rods north and 10 rods west of the southeast corner of section 27, thence southeasterly through section 27, the extreme southwest corner of section 26, thence continuing southeasterly to a point in section 35 approximately 5 rods west of the intersection of the east, north and south 1/4 line of said section 35 with the south, east and west 1/4 of said section 35, thence south to the south section line of said section 35, all in T. 27 N. R. 4 W., and being approximately 3-7-10 miles in length to be known as FI-D2.

Grayling

Commencing at a point on the north section line of section 2, T. 26 N. R. 4 W., approximately 5 rods west of the east 1/4 post of said section 2 on said north section line, and running southwesterly and northeasterly in the form of a large bend to a point approximately 10 rods east of the northwest corner of section 8 on the north section line of said section, thence in a southeasterly direction through the northwest corner of said section 8, and continuing through section 4, the southeast corner of section 5 and continuing on into section 8 to a point in said section 8 approximately where the east and west 1/4 line and the west 1/4 line of said section 8 intersect, thence bearing nearly south and running to the southeast corner of said section 8, this road being approximately 5-8-10 miles in length, all in town 26 N. R. 4 W., and to be known as GI-D1.

by the north 1/4 post of section 5, T. 26 N. R. 4 W., and continuing south and bearing to the east approximately 1 mile, until it intersects county road running southwesterly and northeasterly, to be known as GI-D2.

Commencing at a point on the County Road running southwesterly and northeasterly in section 8, T. 26 N. R. 4 W., approximately where said road intersects the north 1/4 line running east and west of said section 8, thence running southerly a distance of approximately 6-10 of a mile to Portage Creek, to be known as GI-D3.

Commencing at a point just north of the intersection of the County Road running southwest and northeast in section 8, T. 26 N. R. 4 W., and the north 1/4 line of said section, that runs east and west, and running southeasterly a distance of approximately 8-10 of a mile to the shore of Portage Lake, (now Lake Margrethe), to be known as GI-D4.

Commencing at the southeast corner of section 34 T. 26 N. R. 4 W., and running north on the section line to a point approximately 30 rods south of the northeast corner of section 27, T. 26 N. R. 4 W., thence west to the intersection of Michigan Trunk Line 93 at a point approximately 30 rods south and 10 rods east of the northwest corner of section 27, T. 26 N. R. 4 W., being approximately 2-9-10 miles in length, and to be known as GI-D5.

Commencing at a point approximately at the east 1/4 post of section 34, T. 26 N. R. 4 W., and running northeasterly through sections 34 and 27, T. 26 N. R. 4 W., and continuing into section 28, T. 26 N. R. 4 W., to a point approximately 30 rods south and 20 rods west of the northeast corner of said section 28, T. 26 N. R. 4 W., said road being approximately 1-8-10 miles in length, to be known as GI-D6.

Commencing at a point approximately thirty rods south and ten rods west of the northeast corner of section 27, T. 26 N. R. 4 W., on County Road running east and west through said section 27, thence running northwesterly through said section 27 and section 22, T. 26 N. R. 4 W., to Michigan State Trunk Line number 93, a distance of approximately 5-10 of a mile, to be known as GI-D7.

Commencing at the southwest corner of section 34, T. 26 N. R. 4 W., and running north approximately 1/4 of a mile thence running northeasterly through the westerly half of said section 34 and continuing northeasterly into section 27, T. 26 N. R. 4 W., until it strikes County Road running northwesterly and southeasterly through said section, at a point approximately 10 rods east of the intersection of the south 1/4 line with the west 1/4 line of said section. Said road being approximately 1-4-10 miles in length and known as GI-D8.

Commencing at the center of section 21, T. 26 N. R. 4 W., and running south on the 1/4 line a distance of approximately 7-10 of a mile, to be known as GI-D9.

Commencing on the south section line of section 28, T. 27 N. R. 3 W., at a point approximately 3-10 of a mile west of the corner of said section 28 where the County Road now taken over leaves said south section line to run northeast, and running east on said section line a distance of approximately 1-5-10 miles, to be known as G3-D10.

Commencing on the south section line of section 35, T. 27 N. R. 3 W., at a point approximately 30 rods west of the south 1/4 post of said section and running in winding manner in a northeasterly direction through sections 35, and 26 thence turning easterly through section 25, all in town 27 N. R. 3 W., and then continuing northeasterly through the northwesterly corner of section 30, T. 27 N. R. 2 W., and through the southerly part of section 19, T. 27 N. R. 2 W., until it intersects a road running nearly north and south approximately on the east 1/4 line of said section. This road being approximately 3-8-10 miles in length, to be known as G3-D11.

Commencing at a point approximately at the south 1/4 post of section 36, T. 27 N. R. 3 W., and running northeasterly to the northeast corner of said section then continuing northeasterly to a point just southeast of the center of section 30, town 27 N. R. 2 W., thence nearly north to a point approximately at the center of section 18, T. 27 N. R. 2 W. Then northeasterly through said section 18, the northwest corner of 17 and to a point on the north and south quarter line road of section 8, all in T. 27 N. R. 2 W., approximately where the south 1/4 line of said section 8 intersects said north and south 1/4 line, said road being approximately 4-8-10 miles in length, and to be known as G3-D12.

Commencing at a point approximately at the south 1/4 post on the north and south 1/4 line road in section 29, T. 27 N. R. 2 W., and running northwesterly to a point on a road being taken over here with just south-east of the center of section 30,

T. 27 N. R. 2 W., a distance of approximately 1 mile, to be known as G3-D13.

Commencing at a point approximately at the intersection of the north 1/4 line with the north and south 1/4 line of sections 5, T. 27 N. R. 2 W., thence running in a curved line approximately touching the west quarter post of said section 5, thence swinging to a point approximately at the center of section 8, T. 27 N. R. 2 W. Thence east approximately on the east and west 1/4 line to the center of section 9, T. 27 N. R. 2 W. Thence in a bow from that point to approximately the north 1/4 post of section 3, T. 27 N. R. 2 W. This road being approximately 4-5-10 miles in length, and to be known as G3-D14.

Commencing approximately at the south 1/4 post on the west section line of section 12, T. 26 N. R. 2 W. Thence northeast to a point approximately at the south 1/4 post on the east section line of section 1, T. 26 N. R. 2 W. Thence north on the town line to the northeast corner of section 1, T. 26 N. R. 2 W. Thence west on the east and west town line to the northwest corner of said section 1. Thence north to the northwest corner of section 36, T. 27 N. R. 2 W., thence northeast to a point on the north and south town line approximately at the east 1/4 post of section 25, T. 27 N. R. 2 W. Thence north on said town line to the northeast corner of said section 25. This road is approximately 6 miles in length, to be known as G3-D15.

Commencing at the southwest corner of section 35, T. 27 N. R. 2 W., and running northeasterly to a point approximately at the north 1/4 post on the east side of said section 35. Thence north on the section line and following county road 1/4 of a mile to the northeast corner of said section 35. Thence east on the section line between sections 25 and 36, T. 27 N. R. 2 W., to the north and south town line, a distance of approximately 2-7-10 miles, to be known as G3-D16.

Commencing at the southwest corner of section 23, T. 27 N. R. 2 W., and running east on the section line a distance of 1 mile, to be known as G3-D17.

Commencing at a point on the south section line of section 24, T. 27 N. R. 2 W., approximately 10 rods east of the south 1/4 post of said section 24, and running northerly to a point nearly to the east and west 1/4 line of section 13, T. 27 N. R. 2 W. Thence swinging easterly to a point approximately at the east 1/4 post of said section 13. Said road being approximately 1-9-10 miles in length, to be known as G3-D18.

Commencing at the west 1/4 post of section 11, T. 27 N. R. 2 W., and running northeasterly to the center of section 2, T. 27 N. R. 2 W., thence east on the 1/4 line to the center of section 1. Thence northeast and east to a point on the east section line of said section 1 approximately 20 rods north of the east 1/4 post of said section 1. This road is approximately 2-5-10 miles in length and to be known as G3-D19.

Levells

Commencing approximately at the north 1/4 post of section 30, T. 28 N. R. 1 W., and running south to approximately the south 1/4 post of section 31 of said town, thence southeasterly through sections 6, 5, & 8, T. 27 N. R. 1 W., and to a point approximately at the intersection of the north and south 1/4 line with the north 1/4 line of section 9, T. 27 N. R. 1 W., a distance of approximately 9-1-10 miles, to be known as L3-D1.

Commencing at a point approximately 10 rods north and 10 rods east of the S. E. corner of Sec. 4, T. 27 N. R. 1 W., and running southwesterly through said section 4 and into section 8, T. 27 N. R. 1 W., crossing County Road running northwesterly and southeasterly approximately 70 rods south and 40 rods west of the northwest corner of section 9, T. 27 N. R. 1 W., and running southerly and bearing to the east to a point approximately at the intersection of the east and west 1/4 line with the west 1/4 line of section 16, T. 27 N. R. 1 W., a distance of approximately 2 miles, to be known as L3-D2.

Commencing at a point approximately the north 1/4 post of the west 1/4 line of section 6, T. 28 N. R. 1 W., west on the north county line of Crawford County, thence east on said County line a distance of approximately 2-7-10 miles, to be known as L1-D3.

Maple Forest

Commencing at the southwest corner of section 3, T. 28 N. R. 3 W., and running east on the section line to the southwest corner of section 1, T. 28 N. R. 3 W., thence northerly through said section 1 to a point on the north county line of Crawford County approximately 20 rods east of the northwest corner of said section 1, a distance in all of approximately 3-3-10 miles, to be known as MF1-D1.

Commencing on the north county line of Crawford County at the northeast corner of sec-

tion 8, T. 28 N. R. 3 W., and running south on the section line to a point approximately at the west 1/4 post on the south 1/4 line of section 11, T. 28 N. R. 3 W., thence southeasterly in said section 11 to the south section line of said section. This road is approximately 2-3-10 miles in length, to be known as MF1-D2.

Commencing at the southeast corner of section 20, T. 28 N. R. 3 W., and running west on the section line a distance of approximately 1-6-10 miles, to be known as MF1-D3.

South Branch

Commencing at the northwest corner of section 6, T. 26 N. R. 1 W., and running east on the section line to a point approximately at the southeast corner of section 5, T. 26 N. R. 1 W., thence northeasterly approximately to the south 1/4 line of section 4, T. 26 N. R. 1 W., thence following approximately the line of said 1/4 line east through sections 4 and 3 and into section 2 to a point approximately at the intersection of said east and west 1/4 line with the east 1/4 line of said section 2, T. 26 N. R. 1 W. Thence south along said north and south 1/4 line to the intersection of this line and N-1/4 line of section 11, T. 26 N. R. 1 W. This road is approximately 5-7-10 miles in length, and to be known as SB4-D1.

Commencing at the center of section 11, T. 26 N. R. 1 W., and running southerly and bearing to the east through sections 11, 14, 13 and 24, T. 26 N. R. 1 W., to the east 1/4 post of said section 24, a distance of approximately 3-1-10 miles, to be known as SB4-D2.

Commencing at the southeast corner of section 29 and running north on the section line a distance of 3 miles, to be known as SB4-D3.

Commencing at the south 1/4 post of section 35, T. 26 N. R. 1 W., and running northeasterly through sections 35 and 36, T. 26 N. R. 1 W., to the east 1/4 post of said section 36, a distance of approximately 1-6-10 miles, to be known as SB4-D4.

Commencing at the southwest corner of section 14, T. 25 N. R. 1 W., and running east 1 mile on the section line thence north on the section line 1/4 mile to the east 1/4 post of said section 14, to be known as SB4-D5.

Commencing on the east county line of Crawford County at the southeast corner of section 12, T. 25 N. R. 1 W., and running west on the section line a distance of 1 mile, to be known as SB4-D6.

Commencing on the south county line of Crawford County at the south 1/4 post of section 32, T. 25 N. R. 2 W., and running north on the 1/4 line a distance of 1 mile to the north 1/4 post of said section, to be known as SB4-D7.

Crawford County Road Commission.
Frank A. Barnett, Chairman.
Rufus Edmonds, Member.
H. W. Souders, Member.

Attest:
Axel M. Peterson, Clerk. 5-16-2

Briefer

A well-known singer was asked to a party. To his annoyance he was not asked to sing, and when the party was about to break up, very late, he said to his host, "Would you like me to sing Tosti's 'Good-bye' before I go?" "No," replied the host, "don't bother to sing it, old chap. Just say it."—London Tit-Bits.

Something a Little Easier

"The best thing for you," said the doctor, "is to give up smoking, go to bed early every night and get up early in the morning." "Doctor," replied the patient, solemnly, "I don't feel somehow that I deserve the best; what's the second best?"—Stray Stories.

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.
At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Grayling in said county, on the 24th day of April A. D. 1935.

Present: Hon. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Benjamin A. Cooley, deceased.
Mrs. Maude Cooley, a widow of said deceased, having filed in said court her petition praying that the administration and settlement of said estate be granted to Merle F. Nellist, of Grayling, Michigan, or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That the 20th day of May A. D. 1935, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

A true copy.
George Sorenson, Judge of Probate. 5-2-4

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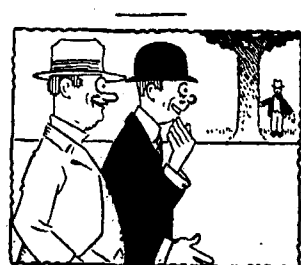
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NOTICE TO PUMP CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals, for the furnishing of two deep well turbine pumps, certain appurtenances, and the installation of pumps, appurtenances and wiring and piping, will be received by the Clerk of the Village of Grayling, Michigan, at his office, until 8:00 P. M., Eastern Standard Time, Monday, May 27, 1935, at which time they will be opened and publicly read, in the Court Chamber, on the second floor of the Crawford County Court House.

Each proposal shall be in a sealed envelope and endorsed: "Proposal for Deep Well Turbines and Appurtenances, Grayling, Michigan."

Each proposal must be accompanied by a certified check for a sum not less than 5% of the amount of the bid, made payable to the Village of Grayling, Michigan. This check is to be forfeited to the Village as liquidated damages in case of failure on the part of the successful bidder to execute the contract and furnish the necessary bonds within the time specified. Checks of unsuccessful bidders will be returned when the contract has been executed.

This project is to be financed with funds made available by the Federal Public Works Administration. No bid will be considered unless accompanied by bidder's Certificate of Compliance, U. S. Government Form P.W.A. 61, Revised March, 1934, to the effect that the bidder is complying with and will continue to comply with each applicable code of fair competition, or in the

absence of such code or codes, with the President's Reemployment Agreement. Copies of this certificate will be furnished with proposal forms.

Attention is called to the fact that not less than the minimum wage rates prescribed by the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works must be paid on this project.

The Village reserves the right to waive any informality in any bid, to reject any or all bids, or to accept the lowest responsible bid.

Specifications, contract forms and all P.W.A. forms are on file at the office of the Village Clerk. Copies of these forms for bidding may be obtained from him or from Hayden & Kunze, Consulting Engineers, 705 Lawyers Building, Detroit, Michigan, upon payment of \$2.50, no refund. All proposals must be made on the forms furnished by the Village.

May 6, 1935.

THE VILLAGE OF GRAYLING, MICHIGAN.
C. G. Clippert, President.
E. L. Sparkes, Clerk.

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Grayling, in said county, on the 16th day of April A. D. 1935.

Present: Hon. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Elliott W. Zoller, deceased.

Letha G. Zoller, a widow of said deceased, having filed her petition praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration, and the settlement of said estate be granted to said Letha G. Zoller or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the Fourteenth day of May A. D. 1935 at ten A. M., at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

GEORGE SORENSON, Judge of Probate.

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Any information and first Proceedings in connection with this Court will be had at my office at Sorenson Bros.

GEORGE SORENSON, Judge of Probate

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Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE
FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO.

Thursday, May 9, 1912

R. Hanson is in Detroit on business.

Alfred Hanson has returned from the woods, where he has been working to gain back his health.

J. A. Holiday, of Chesaning, has rented the vacant store next to Brink's grocery and will put in a stock of five and ten cent goods.

Mrs. C. J. Hathaway and little son left last week Friday for Orion to visit Mrs. Hathaway's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ivory.

John Leece went fishing Tuesday and accidentally fell into the river. This is a secret and we don't want any of our readers to tell.

Only five out of ten who took the teachers examination here recently, successfully passed. Among the lucky ones were Misses Bessie McCullough, Lillian Bates, Minnie Thompson, and Augusta Kraus.

John S. Parsons of Maple Forest died at his home Tuesday.

Mike Brenner is in Bay City on business.

Peter Jensen and Mrs. Christ-offerson left Tuesday for Denmark. They expect to return in October.

Holger Peterson, who has been visiting his parents several days, returned Sunday to Buffalo. Mr. Peterson is expecting to embark into the jewelry business for himself soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy W. Slade entertained the M. P. C. C. last week Tuesday at their home.

Cards have been received by friends here, announcing the marriage of Mr. Weldon H. Warren and Miss Florence Mary Tromble at Hoquiam, Washington.

Last Friday afternoon nearly a score of members of the Ladies of the G. A. R. and their invited guests, took the train for Roscommon, to celebrate the 80th birthday of Mrs. Mary Love now of that village, but an early pioneer of this county, and the oldest member of Garfield Circle.

It is expected that the electric lights will be turned on again Saturday night, after about a month of darkness.

Last Thursday afternoon John

Hanna, of Beaver Creek surprised some of his friends by setting up the cigars and announcing the marriage of himself and Mrs. John Slater.

Chris Johnson, formerly of this town but now woods foreman for Salling Hanson company at Quick, expects to leave for Denmark soon to be gone for several months.

South Side
(23 Years Ago)

Clarence VanAmberg is building an addition to his house.

Bert Chappel has moved into what is known as the Douglas house.

Mrs. Peter Jensen is quite ill at this writing.

John Morrissey, Sr., has procured the position of right watchman at Salling, Hanson company mill.

Salling, Hanson company have started their mill again after being shut down ten days for repair, and also installing a new resaw.

Maple Forest News
(23 Years Ago)

J. B. Slingerland and family are now living in their own house.

Mrs. Wm. Feldhauser entertained her mother, Mrs. Free-land, Monday.

Mrs. K. Knibbs is recovering from her second attack of pneumonia this year.

Jerry Sherman and family have sold their farm to Earl Marshall and moved to Grayling.

Oscar Charron is building an addition to his house in Frederic, occupied by George Burk-hart.

Conrad Howse and crew have been dynamiting stumps on Archie Howse's farm. Merrill Sherman and his engine have been doing good work at moving the most stubborn stumps.

John Parsons Jr., one of our promising young farmers, is getting a nice clearing on his farm on section 22.

An old time dancing party was given Saturday night by W. Bigham in the Nels Johnson house. Albert Charron, who is now on the road, came home to help make the party a success, and the Charron automobile (?) brought quite a load from Frederic.

ferred to Camp Higgins Lake from the Harrison camp to work in the district headquarters office.

Sheriff Frank Bennett of Grayling spoke to men of this organization Tuesday night at the invitation of the company commander on what was expected of the CCC men when they go to town. He was originally scheduled to talk the previous week but his duties prevented fulfilling the engagement at that time.

Major Stark, district commander from Camp Custer, was here Saturday and Sunday on an inspection trip.

Blackwell's Island

Blackwell's Island is in East river and belongs to New York city. It has an area of about 120 acres, and contains the penitentiary, almshouse, lunatic asylum for women, workhouse, blind asylum, hospital for incurables and a convalescent hospital. Nearly all these buildings were erected from granite quarried on the island, by convict labor, the style of architecture being of a turreted and battlemented design of the feudal character. The island is bordered by a heavy granite sea wall, also built by the convicts, and a large amount of farming and gardening is carried on by the inmates of the penitentiary.

Election Notice.

City of Grayling, Michigan.
To the Qualified electors of the City of Grayling:

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held at the city hall in the City of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, Monday, May 27, 1935, from 7:00 o'clock in the forenoon until 6:00 o'clock in the afternoon for the purposes of

Voting on the adoption of a city charter;

Electing five members of a council, a justice of the peace and a constable to conduct the government of the City of Grayling under said charter, if adopted.

Date May 7, 1935.
(Signed) E. L. Sparkes,
Village Clerk

Country Doctor Cites Legislative Mistakes

Dog Racing, Slot Machines, Prize Fighting and Beer Bills Get First Call in Lansing

(By V. J. Brown, Ingham Co. News)

The record being written by the 1935 legislature has been well described by Dr. Charles M. Myers, democratic representative from the Cass county district, an old fashioned country doctor with fine old-fashioned ideas of decency and morality. Tuesday when the race track gambling bill was under discussion and it looked as if it were certain to pass, the old doctor arose in his seat and in measured but quiet tones took his colleagues to task for their attitude toward that type of legislation. He pointed out that little of consequence to the good of the people of the state was being considered but pointed to the fact that in one respect at least the 1935 legislative assembly has taken the grand prize.

"We have accomplished little of any account," charged Dr. Myers. "But we have passed the bill legislating 20-round prize fighting in Michigan. We have a bill before us licensing slot machine gambling. There appears to be a lot of support for keeping our beer gardens open until five o'clock in the morning. The Senate and nearly a majority of the House voted to open the trout fishing season on a Sunday, and now we appear about to legalize the lowest sport of all, namely dog racing, and all the tracks and the gambling that goes with it, inviting the worst type of underworld denizens, men and women, to our state to corrupt the morals of our own people. If you members want to go home with that kind of a record all well and good, but as for me I warn you that the decent people of Michigan will never stand for that type of legislation."

The stern warning of the aged physician had its effect. On roll call the bill failed with only 44 votes in its favor. Floyd Fitzsimmons, arch lobbyist for Chicago's underworld gangsters sat in the gallery and saw his pet measure upon which he had lavished so much attention this winter go down to defeat. The roll call however showed clearly the extent and the effect of his winter's entertainment of house members.

Odd Currency

Woodpecker scalp was used as currency by the Hopi Indians of California. Salt cakes still serve as money in Abyssinia. Necklaces of shell beads have monetary value in some parts of China, Java and Borneo.

First Street Car Line

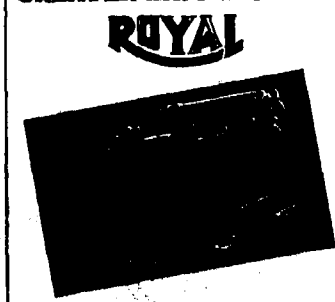
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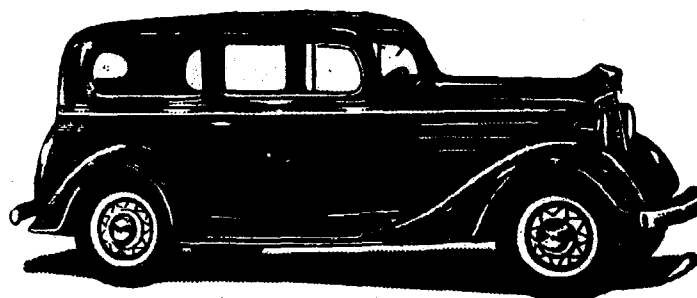
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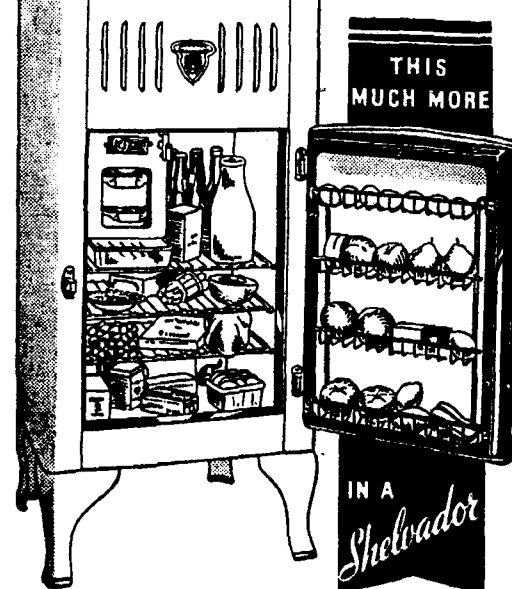
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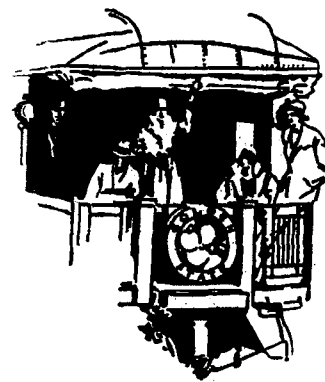
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NEWS BRIEFS

THURSDAY, MAY 16, 1935

Eddie Dow was here fishing Sunday.

The I. O. O. F. lodge is organizing a soft ball team.

Miss Marie Schmidt went to Detroit Friday returning Sunday morning.

"Mitch" McLeod is one of the chefs at the Plaza Grill, beginning his duties Saturday.

Card party Thursday evening, May 23, Shoppenagons Inn, given by St. Mary's Altar society.

Emerson Brown of Saginaw spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Peter Brown.

The Clyde Peterson family have moved into their new home on Chestnut street, the former Eckenfels property.

Jimmy Miller, who is employed in Vanderbilt, visited his mother, Mrs. Edna Whipple Sunday.

Benton Jorgenson of Detroit was the week end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adler Jorgenson.

Miss Martha Sorenson is absent from her duties at the Grayling Bakery because of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brady and children, Monica, Jean, Bobby, and Sally visited in Bentley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Milks and son Lloyd of Traverse City were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lydell Sunday.

John Bruun was in East Tawas on business Tuesday.

Randolphs have opened, their lunch stand at Lake Margrethe.

Elmer Neal who is working in Detroit was home over the week end.

Edward Mayotte spent the week end at his home in Munising.

Miss Elizabeth Matson of Cadillac spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Efner Matson.

O. S. Dawes, Detroit, attended a business meeting of Salling Hanson & Co. and Johannesburg Mfg. Co., held here.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Peterson and children of Bay City, spent the week end at the home of the former's brother, Adolph Peterson.

Miss Mildred Kelly and Riley Manier, Gaylord, called on Miss Lois Sorenson Saturday. Mr. Manier purchased a Ford V-8 from George Burke while here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Olson went to Detroit Wednesday, returning home Saturday, stopping in Mt. Pleasant to bring Miss Georgiana home for the week end.

The Nurses District meeting at Gaylord last Thursday was attended by Mrs. Eva Carlson, Mrs. Helen Corwin, Mrs. Clarice McKay, Miss Louise Sorenson, Miss Emma Hendrickson, and Miss Irene McKay.

Miss Anna Nielsen, Grand Rapids, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Nielsen over the week end. She was accompanied by Mrs. Victor Thelan and daughter Barbara who visited her mother, Mrs. Thomas Cassidy.

Mr. and Mrs. Holger Schmidt left Monday for Detroit.

Mrs. David Kneff and son Roger were in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Nelson and sons Melvin and Weldon were in Mio Sunday.

Walter Schweitzer and Lyle Jenkins were in Saginaw Tuesday on business.

Miss Irene DePute was called to Grand Rapids last Wednesday to care for her cousin.

Mrs. Laurence Trudeau and son Jackie are visiting her sister Mrs. Edgar Douglas at Lovells.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Chapman of Mt. Pleasant were guests at the McClanahan lodge over the week end.

Mrs. Elsie Milks and daughter Phyllis are leaving today for Holland to enjoy the Tulip festival.

Miss Virginia Engels of Detroit is visiting her sister, Mrs. Theodore Stephan, for a couple of weeks.

Carl E. Myer and A. Howard of the Muskegon Oil Corporation were in Grayling on business Friday.

James Raymer died at Mercy Hospital May 11th. The remains were taken to Houghton Lake for burial.

Miss Thelma Chappel of Standish spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Chappel.

Mrs. Johanna Gorman is to be the new investigator at the Wellfare office. She is replacing Mrs. Henstock.

Mrs. Adler Jorgenson had the misfortune to fall and break her wrist, while washing windows Wednesday.

The first five girls at the Hav- loft Saturday night will be admitted free. Gents 35c, Ladies 10c or 3 ladies for 25c.

Mrs. Ruth LaVictoire and Ray Gutka of Bay City made a short visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lovely this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Billings and Carl Englund of Bay City are opening the Billings cottage at the Danish landing this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Craig and Hillary Craig are visiting A. R. Craig. They have just returned from Falconbridge, Canada.

Mrs. Eva McIntyre was arrested Tuesday in Gaylord. The charge was driving while intoxicated. She paid the fine of fifty dollars.

Mr. and Mrs. Thorvald Sorenson attended the graduation of Mrs. Sorenson's sister, Vera Van-Sickle, at Pontiac Hospital last week.

Mrs. Harry Holmes died at her home at Higgins Lake May 11th. The remains were taken to Vestaburg, Mich., for burial Wednesday.

Lorane Sparkes left today for Grand Rapids to accompany Mrs. M. A. Bates home. She has been visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Alfred Hermann during the winter.

Mrs. Adolph Peterson, Mrs. Thomas Cassidy and Mrs. Herbert Gothro attended the N. E. District convention of Michigan State Federation of Woman's clubs at Cheboygan last week.

Don't forget the lecture by O. I. Gregg, Extension specialist in Landscape Architecture, at the school auditorium May 22. The lecture is given under the auspices of the Civic Improvement League.

Mrs. Frank Bond and Mrs. Gerald Poor were hostesses last evening at a lovely bridal shower complimenting Misses Cora Lewis, Beatrice Freeman and Elizabeth Cole, who are to become brides this summer. All are teachers of Grayling school.

How long is public memory and how enduring national gratitude? This question will be answered here Saturday, May 25th. It will be answered in bright red poppies worn over the hearts of all who remember and are grateful to those who sacrificed their lives in the nation's defense seventeen years ago. The women of the American Legion Auxiliary will have charge of the distribution of the flowers. They remember. Mrs. Neal Matthews is the chairman of the Poppy committee.

A large crowd attended the last Young People's meeting of the season at Danebod hall Thursday evening. The program, supervised by Mrs. Hans Juhl and Mrs. Jesse Sales, consisted of a short Danish play, "Coffee Party Gossip," with Mrs. Joseph McLeod, Mrs. Hannele Hanson and Mrs. Robert Ziebell taking part. Six girls, Betty Jorgenson, Margaret Flagg, Patricia Roberts, Georgiana, Gwendolyn, and Betty Jane Wendt, danced and sang in "Dutch Dance." Lunch was served later in the evening.

Epworth League Bake sale Saturday at Schlotz Grocery.

Bud Hunter of Jackson spent several days of this week visiting Eleanor Forman.

Mrs. William Moshier and sons, Charles and Billy, spent Sunday in Bay City on business.

Mrs. Joseph Kernoski has been ill for several days and is under the Doctor's care.

Miss Josephine Nichols drove to Lansing to spend the week end with her family.

The Danish Reading Club is meeting at Mrs. John Wahlstrom's this afternoon.

Miss Josephine Polinka of West Branch visited Russell Robertson over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Larson are moving to Lake Margrethe for the summer.

Harvey Russell of Grand Rapids visited Miss Isa Granger over the week end.

Mrs. Holger Hanson returned Monday from Saginaw where she visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Burr and family.

Alberta Knibbs spent last week visiting her uncle Charles Feldhauser and family of Lovells.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pobur and Mrs. Earl Woodburn and son Dick of Detroit visited relatives here over the week end.

Mrs. Lee Carroll (Mary Murphy) of Saginaw, entered the hospital there last week to undergo an appendix operation.

Helen Woodburn, Grayling senior at Central State Teachers College attended the American Country Life conference in Lansing, May 11.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wright and daughter, Mary, of Lansing, visited over the week end with Mrs. Wright's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peck.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Wells and daughter, of Fife Lake, were guests over the week end of Mrs. Wells' sister, Mrs. Eugene Papendick and family.

Benny Jorgenson of Detroit is spending two weeks with his mother, Mrs. Rasmus Jorgenson. Benny is attending the Detroit Art school.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Moffat of Detroit spent the week end at the Wm. McCullough cabin on the East Branch, and while here made arrangements for building a cabin of their own.

Marius Hanson was in town for a few days last week, returning Wednesday for the graduation exercises at Ferris Institute. He is the president of this year's pharmacy graduation class.

Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson of Maple Forest have moved to Grayling and are living in the house formerly occupied by Clyde Peterson, having purchased the property.

Helen Woodburn, Grayling senior at Central State Teachers college, attained a place on the winter term honor roll as released recently. Helen carried four subjects and received eight honor points.

Mrs. N. P. Olson and son Ernest went to Detroit Saturday and returned the first part of the week, accompanied by Alfred Olson. Ernie says he enjoyed seeing the Tigers whip the New York Yankees Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Peterson and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Parker spent the week end visiting relatives at Lansing. While there Mr. Peterson, Mr. Parker and sons, Claude and Ed of Lansing, drove over to Detroit where they attended the ball game.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry LaBrash entertained over the week end. Mr. Holly Dayman and Wallace Fogelsonger of Flint. They were accompanied on their return by Mr. and Mrs. Paul LaBrash, who had been visiting here for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Borchers drove to Traverse City Sunday after the latter's brother, Steve Stephan, who will remain here for some time. They were accompanied by his father, George Stephan, and sister, Mrs. Amos Hunter.

In honor of the fourteenth birthday of her daughter, Alberta, Mrs. Albert Knibbs gave a party to eight friends at her home last week. The afternoon was spent playing games after which a nice lunch was served. Alberta received many lovely gifts.

Our Gang Sewing club met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Bertha Williams. After the routine work was disposed of the afternoon was spent playing Keno and a delicious lunch served. Prizes for Keno were won by Mrs. Sidney Robarge, Mrs. Alberta Lutz, Mrs. Barton Wakeley, Mrs. Budd and Mrs. Charles Corwin. Mrs. Arthur Parker was the winner of the penny prize.

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Those from Roscommon that attended were Mrs. Amanda Curnalia, Mrs. Mattie Williams, and Mrs. Emma Sheppard, all past matrons of their order; Mrs. Jesse Green, Mrs. George Martin, Mrs. Squire Meade, Mrs. Clara Soderholm, Mrs. M. McClure, Mrs. A. Duncan, and Mr. and Mrs. E. Zettle.

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SCHOOL AFFAIRS

The lawns around the school house have gone through a period of rejuvenance the last two days, and the results are well worth the time and effort.

Mrs. C. G. Clippert, in view of Homecoming Week, has initiated the scheme of repairing the lawns around the school. Mr. Aubrey of Roscommon furnished the pine trees which were used; the school board enlisted the experienced aid of Mr. Ernest Borchers. The school furnished the time and labor and ambitious, potential foresters; and the trees are planted in geometric designs on the lawn and bordering the sidewalk. The completed work is a great improvement. So great, in fact, that one fellow who was late for school gave the excuse that he'd walked by the place twice without recognizing it.

Plans for the annual J-Hop are nearing completion and the date set is May 31st. The Juniors are very busy getting ready and since this is THE big event of the school's social season, they are industriously working to make this a success. Don't forget—May 31st is the date!

May 24th the Senior class leave the learned halls of Grayling High and motor to Lansing on their annual Skip Day. With the advent of warm weather, the class is enthusiastically anticipating the big day.

East Jordan has written, trying to arrange a Ping Pong tournament with the High school. They promise to send down their four best players to take on ours. During the recent local tournament, Bobby Hanson won from Jerome Brady.

May 22nd the baseball team of G. H. S. will play their first outside game when they engage the alumni on the local diamond at six o'clock next Wednesday. Coach Cornell is confident of victory and announces that the team is negotiating for games with neighboring schools after the alumni. Following is the line-up as it stands now:

Pitchers—Donald Smock, E. Smith, L. Lovely, B. Hanson, H. Thompson.

Catchers—R. Murphy, S. Jorgenson, P. Wells, L. Dunham.

Shortstops—E. Chalker, K. Bowen.

Left field—P. Wells, H. Smith. Center field—G. Hanson, B. Joseph.

First base—D. Gothro, B. Sorenson.

Second base—J. Brady, L. Ras-

muson.
Third base—B. Hanson, D. Smock, E. Thompson.
Right field—Dewey Coutts, Homer King, Leo Lovely.
Others—J. H. Peterson, Donald Peterson, Kermit Charren, James Weiss, Walter Skingaley, Jack Wright.

Expert Comments On New Charter

(By Clarence V. Smazel,
Michigan Municipal League)

(The second and last of the discussions of the new city charter by Mr. Smazel).

Elections
The most important change from village government under this heading is that regular municipal elections will be held every other year at the same time as the state and county election instead of each year a month before the township election. Holding an election every other year will obviously reduce the expense and the political turmoil resulting from annual elections.

The second important difference is that the ballots in city elections will be non-partisan, which simply means that there will be no parties or factions identified on the ballot. All candidates for any office will be listed in a single column. The result will be that, even though there are groups in the city seeking the election of certain individuals, citizens generally will elect the best candidate on the ballot, selecting them from a single list, instead of putting in all the candidates of one faction, good men and poor men together, as is the usual result where each party has its slate of candidates on the ballot separately identified.

Legislation.
Changes in legislative procedure under the new city government are less noticeably different than those of village government because they are more technical in their nature. The procedure is easier and smoother to operate, and the cost of publication of ordinances will be reduced insofar as long ordinances are concerned, or any compilation of ordinances which the city may decide to make, now quite seriously needed in Frankfort.

Several provisions in this chapter are designed to protect the municipality from dangerous action on the part of the council. For instance, one of the familiar political tricks of the past has been to consider utility franchises at more or less secret special meetings when some members of the council or citizens would not be present. The new charter

provides that such matters can not be passed at a special meeting, and it also sets up the best plan possible for being certain that no special meeting of the council can be held without all members of the council knowing about it.

Finance.
One of the most important items in this chapter is the first brief section providing that the fiscal year of the city shall begin on the first day of July. The village fiscal year begins about March 1 and tax collections begin in July; so that most village governments have had to borrow money every year to run them for three or four months from the beginning of the fiscal year to the beginning of the tax collection year. This has resulted in rather large interest costs year after year, which will be eliminated under the city charter with the fiscal year beginning at the same time as the tax collection year.

The second important difference is that an itemized budget is required. This may not seem important to the average citizen, but I recall an example of its value, discovered in one new city when the first budget was prepared under this plan. The usual method of making up a village budget is to discuss the expenditures of the past year in general and then decide how much more or less will be needed for the highway fund, general fund, water fund, etc. When this city considered its first budget under the new plan, the council had to go over every individual item it proposed to spend during the year. That was the third year of the depression; and among the items in the highway fund they discovered \$2000 as the annual bill for gravel and that the city had gone on paying \$1.50 a yard for gravel in spite of the fact that during the last two years the cost had gone down to sixty cents a yard. That village had developed a certain spending habit and because it was not reviewed in detail each year when the council decided how much money should be spent it had become a very expensive habit. Every municipality has some spending habits of this nature and they can only be caught by thorough, detailed consideration of the budget. The total savings will be quite a substantial sum in most municipalities. Citizens as well as officials will be given every opportunity to know what goes into the new city budget because a hearing for that purpose is provided for in the charter.

In addition to having a carefully drafted budget the charter requires a four-fifths vote of the council in order to change the budget after it is once adopted. This results in better planning of expenditures. Members of the council and citizens learn that if they are going to spend any money during the year it must be provided in the budget. One of our great difficulties in municipal finance under the old system was that councils and citizens thought of so many things they wanted to spend money for after they had made their tax levy that municipalities frequently had heavy operating deficits.

The charter also permits borrowing only for emergencies, and makes it a misdemeanor for any official of the city not to perform any act which may be necessary on his part to repay that money during the first sixty days of the next budget year. Easy borrowing for current purposes in the past has been a source of many municipal financial troubles. The new charter has effectively put an end to easy borrowing for current operating purposes.

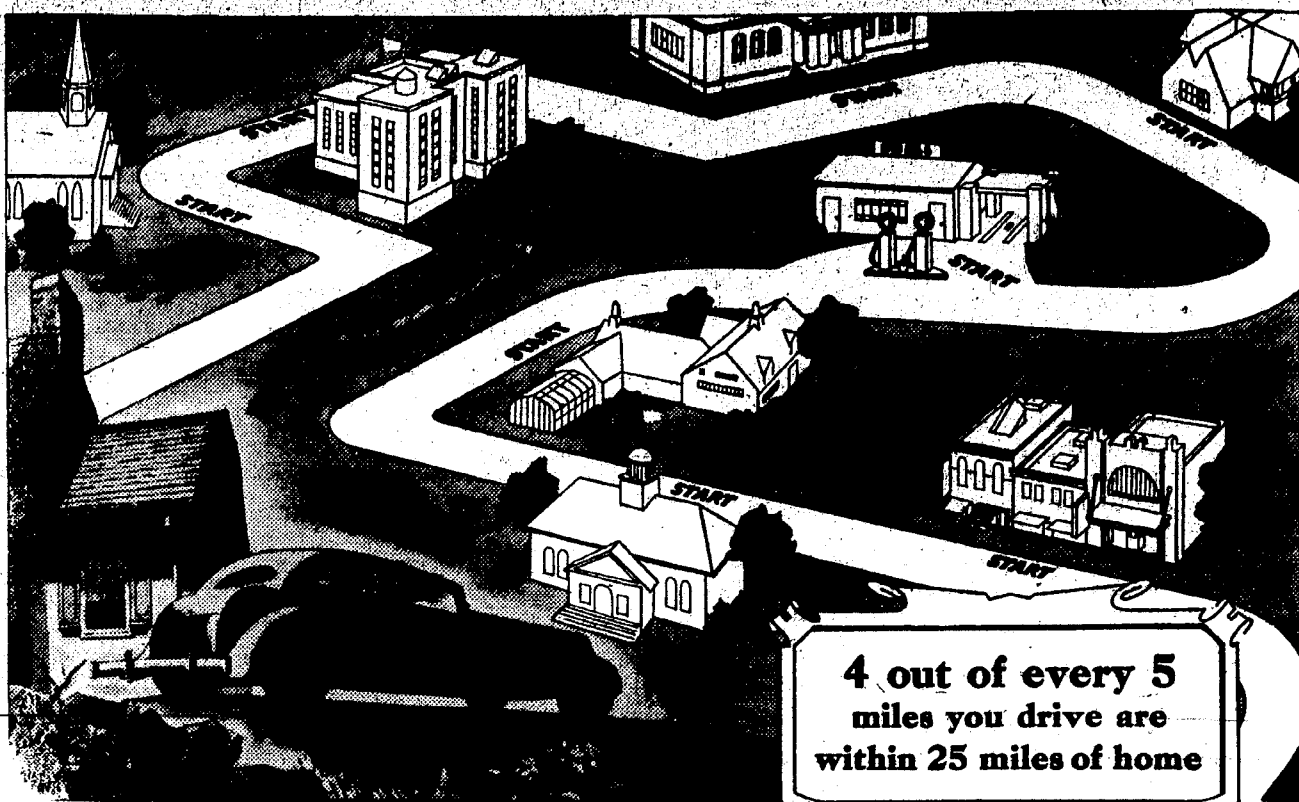
Besides eliminating borrowing for current purposes, the new charter requires a re-study of the budget at least every quarter to determine whether or not income is up to estimates, and if it is not, expenditures must be reduced to keep within the actual cash income.

One other item is worthy of mention. Under the limitation of the city home rule act the taxing power of the council is reduced to 2%, as against 2½% under the village government.

This close watching of expenditures is evident all through the new charter. It was my constant purpose, in assisting the charter commission, to get into the charter as many provisions as possible to prevent those leaks which we know, from experience with many cities and villages, normally exist in the average small city. The charter commission was just as intent upon thoroughly controlling expenditures under the city government.

The new Frankfort charter, therefore, represents all the latest knowledge of municipal finance, much of which was taught by the depression, and its fiscal provisions are superior to all except a relatively small number of the most recent city charters in Michigan.

If any citizen has any further questions about the charter I shall be glad to explain them in the next issue of The Crawford Avalanche if Mr. Schumann has space for the explanation.



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News Briefs

Patrick Moore and John Kilpatrick of Detroit were callers here Saturday.

May 25th has been set by the Legion Auxiliary for their annual poppy sale.

Miss Emma Lovely of Maple Forest visited at the home of her brother, Dennis Lovely, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ziebell enjoyed having as their guests over the week end Mr. and Mrs. Fred Catlin of Toledo.

Mrs. Claude Cardinal and Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Wells were in Pontiac Thursday where they attended the nurses graduation of St. Joseph's Hospital. Miss Wanda Cardinal, who is training for nurse, took part in the exercises.

Miss Mary Schumann was home from Lansing for over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Morrissey of Grand Rapids visited the latter's mother, Mrs. Kate Loskos over the week end.

The Danish Ladies rummage sale will be held on Friday and Saturday, May 24th and 25th at Danebod Hall.

Enjoy your favorite card game, bridge, pinocle or "500" at Shoppenagons Inn, Thursday night, May 23rd. Everyone invited. Given by St. Mary's Altar society.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bond have moved from Lake Margrethe into the Arthur Wendt house.

Open Meeting

of
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at School auditorium
Tuesday Eve., May 21st
7:30 o'clock.
Anyone interested invited to be present.

Russell Robertson was in Lansing Friday on business in connection with his S. E. R. A. recreational work.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lake and son Floyd Lake and wife of Rochester, New York, visited their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Clark Sunday.

Alfred Hanson and Clarence Johnson attended the district meeting of the American Legion at Blanchard, Monday.

Louis Herblison and sister Miss Augusta Herblison, were called to Bath Sunday because of the death of their sister-in-law, Mrs.

Buf Herblison.

Mrs. Andrew Peterson is making her home with Mrs. Peter Brown.

Walter Hemmingson spent the week end with his father Chris Hemmingson and sister Margrethe. He enjoyed fishing while here.

Mrs. Peter Jorgenson accompanied by her son Einer have returned from Monroe where they

had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ernest DuVall.

Miss Norine Berry accompanied by Miss Fyvie, visited at her home in Indian River over the week end.

Henry Ahman of Saginaw spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ahman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Babbitt and Mrs. John Gross were in Traverse City Saturday.

Board of Review Meeting

Grayling Township Board of Review will meet at Grayling

TOWN HALL
on June 4th and 5th and June 10th and 11th
from 9:00 a. m. to 4:00 p. m., for the purpose of reviewing the assessment roll. This is the time and place to register complaints if you are not satisfied with your assessed taxation.

FRED NIEDERER,
5-16-3 Supervisor

NOTICE

The annual meeting of

Board of Review

of the Village of Grayling will be held in the Town Hall on Wednesday and Thursday, May 21 and 22, 1935, from 9:00 a. m. to 4:00 o'clock p. m., on each of said days, to review the tax roll.

F. A. BARNETT,
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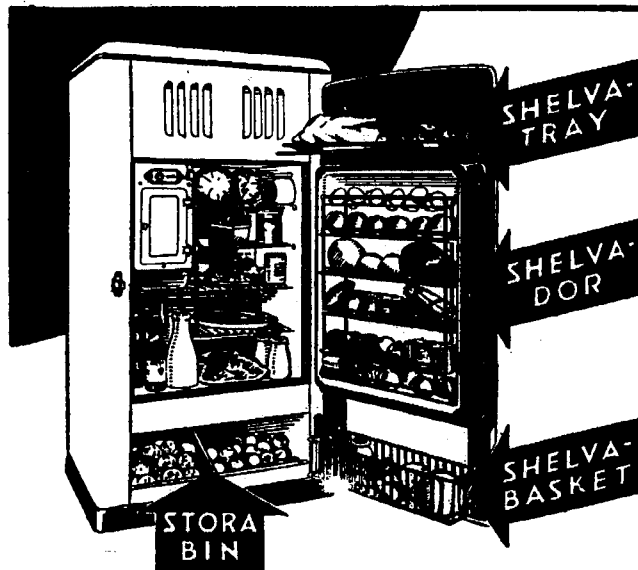
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